

About Lion:

Al-Asad is the name of the lion in Arabic language, the lion is the most well-known as wild **beasts**.

Al-Asad's singular is "Asad" and its plural is "Usood".

According to Arabic dictionaries and **zoologists**, the lion has many names. "Hussain bin Ahmad Khalwiyya" is a great Arabic grammarian, he says that there are five hundred names of lions. Another researcher, "Ali bin Qasim bin Jafar al-Laghwi", mentioned one hundred and thirty 130 names of lions.

Some of the famous names are, Osama, Al-Bahis, Al-Harith, Haidara, Al-Layth, Al-Matheeb etc.

Lion has many **surnames**, some of which are Abul Abtal, Abu Hafs, Abul Al Abbas etc.

Types of lions:

There are many types of lions, **Aristotle** says that I saw a type of lion that were look like a human face and the color of its body was deep red. And his tail were look like a **scorpion**. This type is called "alvard".

Another type of lion has the shape of a cow face with black **horns** on its head that are equal to a **pillow**. But perhaps these types of lions have become rare, the correct knowledge about this thing just have Allah Almighty and His Messenger Muhammad (piece be upon him).

Birth of lion:

The lion is also strange in terms of its birth. Zoologists say that the lioness often gives birth to only one **cub** at a time, which is a **lump of flesh**, which does not move or feel. The female lioness takes care of it for three days, then the male lion comes and keeps blowing into the cub until the cub starts breathing. And the organs start coming out of it and this baby opens his eyes after completing seven days. The female lioness breastfeeding it for six months, after which it is ready to train the hunting education.

Attributes of a lion:

If the lion is viewed with attributes, the lion is patient with the hungry, it feels less need of water. The lioness is so personally and psychologically has ego that she does not like eat a prey, hunted by other animal than herself. Most of the time the lioness hunts alone and sometimes she hunts together with her lion.

When a lion is very hungry, its condition **worsens** and it goes hungry. When lion eats he becomes happy.

Among the prideful things of the lion and the lioness is that they do not drink the false water of the dog.

One of the characteristics of a lion is that when it eats something, it eats it without **chewing**.

There is less **saliva** in his mouth that's why its mouth often remain dirty and produce bad smell. Where the bravery of the lion is talked about, there is also **cowardice** in it.

The sign of **cowardice** of a lion is that if he hears the sound of a rooster, his heart will start beating. And the lion is also has afraid of the cat.

It does not love any of the **beasts** living in the forest, because it does not consider any of the animals as its equal.

A lion lives very long and in old age its teeth start to fall out.

Lion Fever & Cat isn't lion aunt.

A lion is always remain in a state of fever,
Zaid bin Aslam (may Allah have mercy on him) **narrated** from his father that the Rasulallah (peace and blessings of Allah be upon him) said: When Hazrat **Noah** (peace be upon him) took the pair of every animal in the boat, the companions of Noah (peace be upon him) said: How we and our cattle can be satisfied? While there is also lion among us. At that time, Allah Ta'ala **imposed** a fever on the lion, so it was the first fever that was revealed on earth. Therefore, the lion is always suffering from fever.

After that, the companions of Hazrat Noah (peace be upon him) complained about rats and they said that rats are evil animals, they will destroy our food and other goods. At that time, Allah commanded the lion, so the lion sneezed, and a cat came out, and the rats were afraid and hid (Musnad Ahmad, Vol. II, p. 285).

From this tradition we can say that flu with fever is a natural process and secondly that cat is not the aunt of lion which is popular in our India & Pakistan, rather we can say that lion is actual father of cat.

Wahab bin Munba Tabi (may Allah have mercy on him) narrates that when Hazrat Noah (peace be upon him) was ordered to take every pair of animals into the boat, he said, "O my Almighty Allah, how will I care for the lion and the cow? How shall I take care of the goat and the wolf, and how shall I take care of the fox and the dove? So Allah Ta'ala **revealed** to Noah (peace be upon him) that among these animals, who has set the nature of eating to each other? So Hazrat Noah (peace be upon him) replied, "O my Allah, Your **Majesty**." So Allah Almighty said, I will put such love in them that they will not harm each other. (Hayat-ul-Haiwan, Under lion facts)

The unseen news of the Prophet (peace be upon him) and the love of the lion and the cow

It was **narrated** on the **authority** of Hazrat Abu Huraira that the Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him) said that Hazrat **Eesa** (peace be upon him) will **descend** to the earth in such a state that drops of water will be dripping from his head, although there will be no water on his head.

They will break the cross and kill the pigs and shower wealth on the people and there will be such peace on earth that lions will **graze** with camels.

The **leopard** shall eat with the cow, the wolf shall walk with the goats, and the little children shall play with the snakes, and none of them shall harm one another.

(Sunan Abi Dawud, Number of Hadith: 4324)

Who does the lion eat?

Imam Abu Nuaim has written in his book "Al-Hiliyah" in the biography of Sor bin Yazid that he said that the lion eats the one who commits **forbidden** acts.

Is a lion a dog?

The Holy Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be upon him) said this when he prayed for glory against Utbah bin Abu Lahab.

O Allah, **bestow upon** him one of your dogs.

So, after this **supplication** was made, there came a time when Utbah traveled in the evening, he was sleeping in a place at night, and a lion came, which, smelling his companions, reached him and tore Utbah to pieces. .

(Fath al-Bari, Volume IV, Page 39)

From this, it is known that the word "calb", which means dog, is also used for lion. Allama Damiri (may Allah have mercy on him) says that the name of lion was named dog by the Holy Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be upon him) because it **urinates** like a dog and lift the legs like dog.

Language of lion and prayer:

In Tabarani, it is narrated from Hazrat Abu Huraira (may Allah be pleased with him) that the Prophet (may God bless him and grant him peace) asked, O my companions, do you know what the lion says when it **roars**?

So the Companions (may Allah be pleased all of them) said: Only Allah and His Messenger, (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) know best.

So Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be upon him) said: there is no doubt, he says: O my Allah, do not **impose** me on any of the righteous.

Method to ward off the evil of the lion:

Allama Ibn al-Sunni in his book "عمل اليوم وليلة" narrated from Hazrat Ali that he, may God be pleased with him, said: "Whenever you are in a valley and feel fear of a lion, recite these words."

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Caught the lion by the ear:

A hadith has been narrated in "Shifaal al-Sudur" from Hazrat Abdullah bin Umar bin Khattab, (may Allah be pleased with him) that once he went out, he came to a people while walking, saw the **distressed** people and asked, "What is the problem?"

So the people replied that there is a lion standing on the road which has **frightened** all the people. Hearing this, Hazrat Abdullah bin Umar immediately **got down** from his horse and walked towards the lion

And he went to the lion and took him by the ear and turned him **aside** from the path and then said, O lion, the Holy Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be upon him) did not lie about you in his hadith.

That the lion has been **imposed** on the son of Adam on the basis of his fear of other than Allah, and if the son of Adam had only feared Allah, it would not have been imposed on him. And if the son of Adam had put his trust in Allah, Allah would not have handed him over to someone else.

O lion, I am the slave of the Prophet (peace be upon him).

writer Abd al-Razzaq and imam bukhari In his book "Tarikh" has written strange incident related to Hazrat Safina (RA) that Muhammad bin Munkadir narrated from Hazrat Safina (RA).

Hazrat Safina said: I once boarded a boat for a **sea voyage**, but during the journey, the boat broke down, and I got on a plank of the boat, that plank took me out inside the bushes of a valley.

In which there was also a lion, when the lion saw me, it turned towards me

So I said to the lion, "I am the slave of Prophet Muhammad (may God bless him and grant him peace) The lion, accepted my conversation and then indicate to me with his shoulders as if he was telling me to follow him.

So I started following him and he pushed me on a path and then the lion made such a sound that I thought it was saying goodbye to me.

Shari'a command to eat lion:

Imam Abu Hanifa (may Allah have mercy on him), Imam Shafi'i (may Allah have mercy on him) and Imam Ahmad bin Hanbal (may Allah have mercy on him) and the majority of scholars have **declared** lion meat as haram.

According to the **decree** of the Holy Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be upon him) that any animal that eats with its sharp front teeth is **forbidden**, its meat is forbidden.

Proverbs related to tigers:

- 1) Such a man is more honorable than a lion
- 2) Such a man is more disliked than the smell of a lion's mouth

Medicinal properties of lion:

Allama Damiri writes

- 1) A person on whose body lion fat is **massaged**, animals will run away from that person
- 2) If a lion skin along with the hair is hung around the neck of an **epileptic** child, he will get rid of **epilepsy** before reaching adulthood.
- 3) Lion eat is useful for **paralytic** patients
- 4) If a piece of Lion skin is placed where there is a **mole** or a **termite**, then the **termite** will be **eradicated**.
- 5) A person who keeps the teeth of a Lion will be protected from **toothache**.
- 6) Sitting on a Lion skin removes **hemorrhoids** and **gout** (joint pain).
- 7) The use of Lion leaves as a **serum** improves eyesight.
- 8) If the leaves of the Lion are mixed with water and mint, then the patient of **jaundice** will get a lot of benefit.
- 9) If the lion's excrement is **dried** and mixed with a **salve** after **sweating** and massaged on the body, it will cure the disease of **leprosy**.

Interpretation of dreams

- 1) Seeing a lion in a dream indicates a king with a tight grip
- 2) Seeing a lion in a dream also indicates the imposition of an enemy
- 3) A man who sees that he has eaten a lion's head in a dream will become a king
- 4) Whoever sees that he has adopted a tiger cub, his wife will give birth to a son